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FINAL	For Delivery the Week of 02/28/05					GEORGIA F.O.B. DOCK PRICES
	US GRADE A			COMPOSITE		WEDNESDAY
AREAS	MAJORITY	WTD AVG	LOADS	WTD AVG	LOADS	73.75
Chicago	63.00-66.00	66.14	40	68.07	74	MONDAY FINAL WTD. AVG.
Ohio Cities	s TFEWR			69.22	29	72.77
Detroit	65.00-67.00	67.20	10	69.80	51	
St Louis	65.75-66.00	65.57	21	66.19	32	CENTRAL REGION WOG
						MAJORITY WTD AVG
						68.00-73.50 70.15

MIDWEST REGION BROILER/FRYER PARTS

Week of 28-FEB-05 to 04-MAR	-05 Pric	e Per Lb.	Mostly		PRICE PER LB.	Mostly
BREAST - B/S	110.00 -	153.00	135.00 - 145.00	THIGHS	38.00 - 49.00	-
BREAST - LINE RUN	82.00 -	108.00	86.00 - 89.00	WINGS (WHOLE)	90.00 - 130.00	119.00 -
LEGS	42.00 -	49.00	-	BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED)	15.00 - 23.00	-
LEG QUARTERS (BULK)	28.00 -	41.00	31.00 - 33.00	LIVERS	30.00 - 40.00	-
DRUMSTICKS	28.00 -	43.00	-	GIZZARDS (HEARTS)	40.00 - 60.00	-

<u>MIDWEST BROILER/FRYER</u> - Whole broiler/fryer majority prices mostly unchanged from last Monday's final; Ohio cities TFEWR. The market tone was steady. Light offerings noted on light to moderate buyer interest. Movement into all sectors was in a full range; mostly light to moderate with anticipated improvement through the week for first of month. Floor stocks adequate; weights mostly desirable. Supplies of parts were available for the cautious and selective trade call. Market tone was steady to firm on leg cuts and tenderloins; cautiously steady to weak on the balance.

NATIONAL TURKEY PARTS

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DOMESTIC TRADING	PRICE	LST	WTD		WTD	WEEKLY
FEBRUARY 25, 2005	RANGE	CDE	AVG	VOLUME	AVG	VOLUME
		1/	PRICE	(000)	PRICE	(000)
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS GRADE A 2/		R	97.00	40	98.60	600
BREASTS, 4-8 LBS PLANT GRADE 2/						
DRUMSTICKS, TOMFRESH		R	38.00	40	38.00	40
BREASTS, B/S, TOMFRESH 3/	151.00-152.00		151.09	220	151.94	821

^{1/} CODES FOR LAST SIGNIFICANT TRADE (L.S.T.): M=MONDAY T=TUESDAY W=WEDNESDAY R=THURSDAY F=FRIDAY

^{3/} Boneless and skinless without tenderloins.

FRESH PORK CUTS FOB Negotiated Loin	FEB 28, 2005 PRICE RANGE	WTD AVG	FRESH BEEF CUTS FOB Negotiated	B 28 , 2005 PRICE	RANGE	WTD AVG
1/8" Trm/less 21#DN-LGT	116.00	116.00	112A 3 Rib, ribeye, bnls, heavy	440.00	525.00	446.56
BNLS Strap-on 5-11#	151.00	151.00	168 3 Round, top inside round	175.50	182.66	180.49
Trimmed Butt			180 3 Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1	430.00	470.00	449.73
1/4" Trim Stk Rdy	95.00-100.00	97.33	Ground Beef 81%	116.00	133.07	124.68
SPARERIB						
3BAG/3 PCVAC4.25#DN-LG7	Г 144.00-149.00	146.50				

^{2/} Breasts are bagged; rib, back, and wing meat included; and basted.